THE

SOUTH-CAROLINA GAZETTE,

Containing the freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtick.

MONDAY, July 16th, 1744. [Numb. 538]

LONDON, February 24.

This Day

DR. *George*, Vice-Chancellor, and the Duke of *Newcaſtle*, High Steward of the Univerſity of *Cambridge*, attended by ſeveral Heads of Houſes, Doctors in the ſeveral Faculties, Maſters of Arts, and other Members of that learned Body waited on his Majeſty in their Formalities, and Mr. Vice-Chancellor preſented the following Addreſs.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Chancellor, Maſters, and Scholars of your Univerſity of *Cambridge*, beg Leave to expreſs our hearty Deteſtation and Abhorrence of the inſolent and perfidious Deſign to invade your Majeſty's Dominions, and impoſe on us a Popiſh and abjur'd Pretender.

As we are deeply ſenſible of the Happineſs we enjoy in the Security of our Religious and Civil Rights, under your Majeſty's auſpicious Government, we cannot but be greatly alarmed at any Attempts to deprive us of ſo invaluable Bleſſings.

Theſe Bleſſings, Sir, we enjoy in common with our Fellow Subjects; but as a Body of Men devoted to the Service of Religion and Learning, we are in a particular Manner intereſted in whatever may endanger them, as being ſure to fall with them, among the moſt early Sacrifices to the Fury and Revenge of our Popiſh Adverſaries.

Neither they, nor we, have forgot the glorious Stand made by the Univerſities, againſt Popery and arbitrary Power, which in a great Meaſure contributed to the late happy Revolution; and they well know, how inconſiſtent our Sentiments and Principles are with that dreadful and cruel Superſtition, which is both the Effect and the Cauſe of Ignorance.

If we wanted any other Motives, beſides thoſe of Duty and Intereſt, to engage our moſt zealous and ſteady Attachment to your Majeſty's Perſon and Government, Gratitude would oblige us, who have been diſtinguiſhed by the Munificence of your Majeſty and your Royal Father, to diſtinguiſh ourſelves, as well by our utmoſt Endeavours as our moſt fervent Prayers, that the ſame good Cauſe, animated by the ſame Royal Spirit, and guarded by the ſame Divine Providence, which appeared ſo remarkably in the late Day of Battle, may triumph over all the Attempts of your Majeſty's and our Enemies, to diſturb the Peace and interrupt the Proſperity of *Great Britain*.

To which his Majeſty was pleaſed to return this moſt gracious Anſwer.

I Thank you for this dutiful and affectionate Addreſs. The juſt Concern you expreſs for our happy Conſtitution in Church and State, is very agreeable to me. The good Example and Influence of the Univerſity, will greatly tend to preſerve in my People a true Regard for my Government, and a juſt Zeal for our moſt holy Religion.

They all had the Honour to kiſs His Majeſty's Hand.

February 27. The Earl of *Arran*, Chancellor of the Univerſity of *Oxford*, with Dr *Hodges* the Vice-Chancellor, and his Grace the Archbiſhop of *Canterbury*, attended by ſeveral Heads of Houſes, Doctors in the ſeveral Faculties, Maſters of Arts, and other Members of that learned Body, waited on his Majeſty in their Formalities, and Mr. Vice Chancellor preſented the following Addreſs.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

THE undoubted Intelligence receiv'd by your Majeſty of an intended Invaſion of theſe your Kingdoms, ought to awaken in all your Subjects an Attention to ſo intereſting an Alarm, and unite their Endeavours effectually to diſappoint and defeat an Attempt which threatens to deprive us of all that is valuable to ourſelves, and all that is worth tranſmitting to our Poſterity.

Our Invaders well know, from their own Conſtitution, the ſmall Value of uncertain Poſſeſſions, every Hour liable to the Demand and Seizure of an arbitrary enterprizing Prince: And the Succeſs of your Majeſty's Arms will ſoon, we doubt not, fully convince them that we are too wiſe and brave a People, to part with real for imaginary Property, and are not ſo infatuated, as to purchaſe the ignominious Exchange, at the vaſt Expence of pure Religion and *Britiſh* Liberty.

The ſolid and diſintereſted Principles of Piety and Loyalty, have ever engaged your Univerſity of *Oxford* in the Defence of their Sovereigns upon all important Emergencies; and your Majeſty may ſecurely rely upon the ſteady and inviolable Attachment of thoſe Perſons, who will ever be guided by the uniform Influence and Direction of ſuch laudable Rules of Conduct and Action.

Permit us therefore to aſſure your Majeſty of all the Aſſiſtance we can contribute on our Part in this critical Conjuncture, which truſt will not be vain and ineffectual, as we promiſe ourſelves that Heaven will hear our earneſt and continual Prayers for the preſervation of your ſacred Perſon, the Proſperity of your royal and illuſtrious Houſe, and the ſucceſsful Progreſs of your Arms.

To which his Majeſty was pleaſed to return this moſt gracious Anſwer.

I Thank you this dutiful and loyal Addreſs the Affection you ſhew for my Perſon and Government, and your Concern for the Preſervation of our happy Conſtitution in Church and State, give me great Satisfaction. The Univerſity may always depend upon my Favour and Protection.

They all had the Honour to kiſs his Majeſty's Hand.

The Merchants of the City of *London* waited on his Majeſty's with the following Addreſs.

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Merchants of your City of *London*, having obſerved, by your Majeſty's moſt gracious Meſſage to your Parliament, that Deſigns are carrying on by your Majeſty's Enemies, in Favour of a Popiſh Pretender, to diſturb the Peace and Quiet of theſe your Majeſty's Kingdoms, think it our indiſpenſable Duty, not to omit this Opportunity of expreſſing our juſt Reſentment and Indignation at ſo raſh an Attempt.

We have too lively a Senſe of the Happineſs we enjoy in our Religion and Civil Liberties, under your Majeſty's mild and auſpicious Reign, and of the flouriſhing Condition of our Trade and Commerce, even in the midſt of War, under your paternal Care and Vigilance, not to give your Majeſty the ſtrongeſt Aſſurances of our higheſt Gratitude for ſuch invaluable Bleſſings; nor can we doubt, but by the Bleſſing of God upon your Majeſty's Arms, and the unanimous Support of your faithful Subjects, the Attempts of your Enemies will recoil upon themſelves, and end in their own Confuſion.

We therefore humbly beg Leave to declare to your Majeſty our unſhaken Reſolution, that we will, on this critical Conjuncture, exert our utmoſt Endeavours for the Support of publick Credit, and at all Times hazard our Lives and Fortunes, in Defence of your Majeſty's ſacred Perſon and Government, and for the Security of the Proteſtant Succeſſion in your Royal Family.

To which his Majeſty was pleaſed to return this moſt gracious Anſwer.

I Thank you very heartily for this dutiful and loyal Address. This seasonable Mark of Zeal and Attachment to my Person and Government, from so considerable a Body of my trading Subjects, cannot but be agreeable to me and must, at this Time, greatly conduce to support the publick Credit, which I shall always use my utmost Endeavours to preserve and maintain.

They were graciously receiv'd, and all had the Honour to kiss his Majesty's Hand.

London, March 29. The C——r have voted 274,000 l. for Forces and Garrisons abroad; 66,119 l. for extraordinary Services in Georgia; 19,168 l. for Charges of Troops in Georgia, and 12,102 l. for Pay of Artillery, Stores, and towards building Fortifications on the new Settlement at Ratan.

March 31. War was declar'd against France in Westminster and London.

CHARLES TOWN, July 16.

Saturday se'nnight the Expresses bro't by his Majesty's Snow the *Swallow*, for *Georgia*, were dispatch'd to *Frederica*.

Since our last, sail'd the Sloop *St. Andrew*, *John Webster*, Master, for the *Havanna* with a Flag of Truce, and all the *Spanish* Prisoners that were here.

CUSTOM HOUSE, CHARLES-TOWN,

Entered Inwards.

Brigt. Carolina, Joseph Hutchins, from Providence.

Sloop Carolina, Cornelius Romme, from New-York.

Entered Outwards.

Sloop Carolina, Cornelius Romme, for New York.

Cleared for Departure.

Ship Success, Matthew Peacock, and Brigt. Rawleigh, Wm Roch, to Cowes.

Schooner Mary-Anne, Rich. Pon, and Schooner Loyal Martha, Wm. Snelling, to Providence.

Exported from this Place from Nov. 1, 1743.

Rice, 78,169 Barrels.
Pitch, 6834 Barrels.
Tarr, 17168 Barrels.
Turpentine, 703 Barrels.
Deer-Skins, 238 Hogsheads.
Indian Corn, 18744 Bushels.
—— Pease, 2284 Bushels.
Pork, 876 Barrels.
Beef, 427 Barrels.

The PRICES of the following Goods, of the Produce of the Province.

Rice *per Cent.* 30 *lb.* 0.
Pitch *per Barrel*, 40 *s.* 0
Tar, 32 *s.* 6 *d.*
Turpentine, 15 *lb.* 0.
Turpentine Oyl, 35 *s.* 0
Rosin, 15 *s.* 0
Skins *per lb.* 16 *lb.* 6
Corn *per Bushel*, 20 *s.*
Pease, 10 *s.* 0
Staves, 19 *l.* *per* 1000.

Of the Product of Foreign Parts.

Hyson Flour *per Ct.* 4 *l.* 0
Philadelphia Flour, 4 *l.* 5.
Brown Bread, 3 *l.* 5 *s.*
Ship ——, 3 *l.* 5 *s.*
Middling ——, 3 *l.* 10 *s.*
White, —, *per Quarter Cask*, 50 *s.*
Mill ——, per Quarter Cask 60 *s.*

N. England Rum, *per Hhd.* 15 *s.* a *Gallon.*
Barbados Rum *per Hhd.* 17 *l.* 6
Mountserrat —, 17 *s.* 6
Antigua —, 17 *s.* 6
Melasses, 15 *lb.* 0
Muscovado Sugar, *per C. wt.* 12 *l.* 10 *s.*
Single refin'd —, 12 *s.* 6 *d.* *per lb.*
Madeira Wine, *per Pipe*, 120 *l.*
New-York Beer, None.
Philadelphia —, 9 *l.* per Barrel.
Soap in Boxes, 3 *s.* 6 *d.* *per lb.*
Fine Salt *per Bushel* 7 *s.* 6 *d.*
Coarse Salt, 10 *lb.*

Advertisements.

South-Carolina. WHEREAS *John Wheeler*, of *Charlestown*, Butcher, has exhibited his Petition to the Chief Justice, and Two Assistant Justices of the Court of *Common Pleas*, setting forth, that he is in the Custody of the Provost Marshal of this Province, upon mesne Process, at the Suit of *James Mac Kelvey*, in an Action for a just Debt; and also on an Execution for a just Debt, at the Suit of *James Dorton*; and also on an Execution for a just Debt, at the Suit of *John Crokatt* and *Kenneth Michie*; and also on an Execution for a just Debt, at the Suit of *Thomas Sabb* and *William Sabb*, and that he is ready and willing to make surrender upon Oath, to any one or more of his Creditors in Trust for the rest, all and singular his Estate, both real and personal, a List or Schedule of his Estate being annexed to his said Petition, and prays to be admitted to the Benefit of the Act of the General Assembly in that Case lately made and provided. *It is therefore ordered*, and the said *James McKelvey*, *James Dorton*, *John Crokatt* and *Kenneth Michie*, *Thomas Sabb* & *William Sabb*, & all others to whom the said *John Wheeler* is in any wise indebted, are hereby summoned, and have Notice to appear at the usual Place of Judicature, in *Charles Town*, on the 17th Day of *August* next, to shew Cause, if any they can, why the said *John Wheeler* should not be intitled to the Benefit of the said Act, upon his complying with the Terms therein prescribed.

T. Wedderburn, Cl C.P.

WHEREAS several Persons in this Province have inclin'd to discredit the Virtues of the *Chinese* Snake-Stones sold by Mr. *Francis Torres*, for curing, in a few Hours, the Bites of any sorts of Rattle (and other) Snakes, Scorpions, mad Dogs, and of all venemous or poisonous Creatures. This is therefore to inform the Publick, that their really having such Virtues, has been sufficiently attested by Certificates from *Philadelphia*, *Virginia*, and by two from Gentlemen of this Province, one Sign'd by Mr. *George Powby*, and the other by Mr. *William Allen* at *Goose Creek*, who has lately (by applying one of those Stones) cured two of his Negroes of the Bites of Rattle Snakes. Mr. *Torres* sells the said Stones at Mr. *Bonnetheau's* Cutler, in *Union Street*. Price of the large ones 5 *l.* and of the smaller 4 *l.* in Currency.

This is to give Notice, that Mrs. *Sarah Lloyd* is removed into her House on the Bay; where she continues to bake Bread, and takes in Lodgers.

N.B. She has good Cellars to let.

South-Carolina. WHEREAS George Watweed, *has exhibited his Petition to the Chief Justice and two Assistant Justices of the Court of* Common Pleas, *setting forth, that he is in the Custody of the Provost Marshal of this Province, on Mesne Process, at the Suit of* Francis Goddard, *for a Debt to him justly due, and that he is ready and willing to make Surrender upon Oath, to one or more of his Creditors in Trust for the Whole, all and singular his Estate both real and personal, a List or Schedule of His Estate being annexed to his said Petition, and prays to be admitted to the Benefit of the Act of the General Assembly in that Case lately made and provided.* It is therefore ordered, *and the said* Francis Goddard, *and all others to whom the said* George Watwood *is in any wise indebted, are hereby summoned, and have Notice to appear, at the usual Place of Judicature, in* Charlestown, *on the 17th Day of* August *next before the Chief Justice and two of his Assistants, to shew Cause, if any they can, why the said* George Watwood *should not be entitled to the Benefit of the said Act, upon his complying with the Terms therein prescribed.*

J. Wedderburn, *Cl C P.*

WHEREAS Mr. *Nathaniel Gittens* has made an Assignment to us, in Trust for the Use of his several Creditors, of all his Estate real and personal, Right and Credits. This is therefore to desire all Persons indebted to him, to pay off their respective Debts by the 15th Day of next Month, or they will be sued without further Notice. And all that have any Demands on the said *Gittens*, are desired to send in their Accompts to us, that an equal Dividend may be made out of the Produce of his Effects.

Joseph Pickering.
Benjamin Savage jun.

Stray'd into my Plantation at the *Pond*, a Cream colour'd Horse, about 13 Hands high, branded on the mounting Shoulder *WS*. Likewise a black Horse, branded as on the mounting Buttock. Whoever owns the said Horses, may have them on applying to the Subscriber at the said Plantation, and paying the Charges.

Francis Dowling.

Taken up by Mr *John Simpson* of *St. John's* Parish, a Bay Horse, about 13 Hands high, branded on the near shoulder CB in one. The Owner may have him on applying to me

Francis Lejau, J.P.

All Persons that have any Demands on the Estate of *William Evans* deceas'd, by Note or Book Debt, are desired to apply to *James Scarlett* at *Ashley Ferry*, in order to satisfy themselves of the State thereof.

William Cattell, Administrator.

Just imported from *New-York*, in the Sloop *Carolina*, *Cornelius Romme*, Master, good *Hyson* Flour, brown, mix'd and white bread, Soap in Boxes, and all sorts of Garden Seeds, to be sold by Mr. *Schrimsher* and *Johnston* upon the Bay.

A Journal of the Proceedings against the Conspirators at *New-York* in 1741 and 42, to be sold by the Printer hereof. The Subscribers for that Journal are desired to send for their Books, paying their Subscriptions.

Stray'd into the Plantation of Mrs. Singelton *at* Goose Creek, *a light Bay Horse, branded on the near Buttock* A, *and on the off shoulder* A3. *Also stray'd into* Dawcon *Plantation belonging to Mr.* Wragg, *a bright Bay Horse, branded* EC, *with a Star on his Forehead. Whoever owns the said Horses, may have them on applying to*

June 14, 1744 Peter Taylo, J.P.

South-Carolina. WHEREAS *George Avery* of *Charles Town*, Sail-maker, has this Day exhibited his Petition to the Chief Justice and two Assistant Justices of the Court of *Common Pleas*, setting forth, that he is detained a Prisoner in the Custody of the Provost Marshal of this Province, upon mesne Process, at the Suit of *William Hervey*, for a Debt to him justly due, and that he is ready and willing to make Surrender upon Oath, to one or more of his Creditors in Trust for the Rest, all and singular his Estate both real and personal, a List or Schedule of his Estate being annexed to his said Petition, and prays to be admitted to the Benefit of the Act of the General Assembly in such Case lately made and provided. *It is therefore ordered*, and the said *William Hervey*, and all others to whom the said *George Avery* is in any wise indebted, are hereby summoned, and have Notice to appear at the usual Place of Judicature, in *Charles Town*, on the 10th Day of *August* next, before the Chief Justice and two of his Assistants, to shew Cause, if any they can, why the said *George Avery* should not be entitled to the Benefit of the said Act, upon his complying with the Terms therein prescribed. *July 6th*, 1744.

J. Wedderburn, Cl.C.P.

TO BE SOLD, a very handsome strong Chaise. Enquire of the Printer.

Stolen or lost, out of my House on Monday the 4th Instant, a large Silver Spoon, mark'd near the Bowl with A.D. twice. Whoever brings it to me, shall have 20 *s.* reward, and if offer'd to Sale 'tis desired to be stop'd, for

Anne Higgins

LEASES & RELEASES, Bonds, Mortgages, Bills of Sale, Writs, Powers of Attorney, Bonds and Mortgages for Negroes, Indentures, Arbitration & indemnifying Bonds, *French* Psalm Books of the newest Version, &c. *Burnet's History of his own Times*, 6 Vol. *Milton's Paradise lost, with Addison's Notes. Addison's miscellaneous Works*, 2 Vol. *Prior's Poems. Lord Shaftsbury's Characteristicks*, 2 Vol. *And, Night Thoughts, a Poem, by the famous Dr. Young, To be sold by the Printer hereof.*

To be sold by the Subscriber, a large brick three Story House, compleatly finished, situate on the Bay of *Charles Town*, wherein Messrs. *Mackenzie* and *Roche* now dwell, being well seated for Trade, and hath the Conveniency of good Stores, with Cellars underneath and Drains in them. Also another brick House in *Tradd street*, two Story high, being a Corner House with two Tenements, opposite to Col. *Brewton's*, with part of a Lot in *Tradd street*, opposite to Mr. *Stoutenburg's*, with a Kitchen, Washhouse and Stable thereon, and a good Garden backward with several Orange and other Fruit Trees. Likewise a Tract of Land situate on *John's Island*, containing about 1200 Acres of choice planting Land, both for Rice and Corn, with a good Dwelling house thereon fit for any Overseer, and sundry other Out houses, the Land being well damm'd in, and hath the Conveniency of back Water, and not more from a Landing than a Quarter of a Mile, and is convenient for two Settlements. Also sundry valuable Slaves, amongst which are Coopers, Carpenters, and Sawyers, the rest are fit for any Plantation Use, together with a large Stock of choice Cattle, Horses, Hogs and Sheep. Whoever inclines to purchase any of the foregoing Articles, may treat with the said Subscriber, who is willing to sell them on very reasonable Terms. He also gives Notice, that he designs to depart this Province with his Family, therefore all who are indebted to him to discharge their respective Debts by the first Day of *March* ensuing, that Time being the longest he purposes to stay

James Matthewes.

South-Carolina. WHEREAS *William Monat* of *Charles Town*, ———, has this Day exhibited his Petition to the Chief Justice and two Assistant Justices of the Court of *Common Pleas*, setting forth, that he is detained a Prisoner in the Custody of the Provost Marshal of this Province, upon mesne Process, at the Suit of *Edward Mead*, for a Debt to him justly due, and that he is ready and willing to make Surrender upon Oath, to one or more of his Creditors in Trust for the Rest, all and singular his Estate, both real and personal, a List or Schedule of his Estate being annexed to his said Petition, and prays to be admitted to the Benefit of the Act of the General Assembly in such Case lately made and provided. *It is therefore ordered*, and the said *Edward Mead* and all others to whom the said *William Monat* is in any wise indebted, are hereby summoned, and have Notice to appear at the usual Place of Judicature, in *Charles Town*, on the 10th Day of *August* next, before the Chief Justice and two of his Assistants, to shew Cause, if any they can, why the said *William Monat* should not be entitled to the Benefit of the said Act, upon his complying with the Terms therein prescribed. *July 6th*, 1744.

J. Wedderburn, Cl.C.P.

LOIS MATTHEWES *intending to depart this Province, desires all who are indebted to her, to discharge their respective Debts by the first Day of February next, otherwise they will be sued without further Notice.*

To be sold on Thursday the 19th Instant, by publick Vendue, at the House of Mr *Rice Price* on the Bay, the Effects late of Mr. *John Wood*, Architect, deceased, consisting of great variety of choice Tools for Carpenters and Joyners, with sundry other Goods. The Sale to begin at 11 o'Clock in the Forenoon.

A well qualified Overseer, with good Recommendation, may meet with Encouragement, on Application to

Adam Beau Champ.

N.B. The Negroes of the said *Beau Champ* will be sold after the Crop is over, any Person inclin'd to purchase, may treat with him.

Stray'd or stolen off Charles-Town Green, on the 28th of *June* last, a bright Bay Gelding about 14 Hands high, branded with a O and a spot in the Middle, on the off Shoulder, a Vein sprung a little above the left Nostril, also a dusty black (or brown) Gelding, about 13 Hands and an half high, some white on his off Leg, behind, branded IR in one on the near Thigh, each of them about 7 Years old; if stray'd, are most likely to go towards *St. John's* Parish. Whoever brings or gives Notice of the said Horses to Mr. *William Watkins*, Chirurgeon in *Union street*, shall be reasonably rewarded, according to the Distance and Trouble.

Run away from *Tho: Wright's* Periaugoa, a lusty fat Negro Fellow named *Moulle*, very black. If any Body takes up and sends him to his Master, or brings him to me on board the said Boat, shall have 40 *s.* reward.

Alexander Godby.

Run away from John Hutchins, Warden of the Work house, a Negro Fellow named *Dick*, who formerly belonged to Mr. *John Cattell*. Whoever takes up and brings him to the said *Hutchins*, shall have 5 *l.* reward.

On Friday the 10th Day of August *next*, will be exposed to publick Sale, at the Plantation of Abraham Saunders (late of Four Holes in the Parish of St. James Goose Creek, deceas'd) a parcel of choice Plantation Slaves, and some good Cattle. Credit will be given to the first Day of March *next*, paying Interest from the Day of Sale, and giving Security if required. All Persons to whom the above Estate is indebted, are desired to bring in their Accounts properly attested, to the Executors of the said Estate, by the Time, and at the Place above mentioned.

Run away from Santee, *near* Fair Forest, a Servant Man named Samuel Hall, he is about 30 Years old, and had on a blue Serge Coat with Brass Pockets ornamented, and Breeches of the same trimm'd with black, and a grey Wig, he carried with him also 2 ruffled shirts. And stole a new two'd bay horse of a middle size, from me, with saddle, &c. the Housing mark of a thy blue. The Man is a Taylor by Trade. Whoever takes up & brings to me at Santee in St. James's Parish, shall have 10 *l.* reward. John Lewis.

The Sale of some Things lately adverris'd in this Paper by the Subscriber, is put off 'till the 10th of *October*.

Thomas Dewhurst.